Great Seneca Creek ES (Northwest ES #7) -- No. 036504

Category Subcategory Administering Agency Planning Area

Montgomery County Public Schools Individual Schools Public Schools

Germantown

Required Adequate Public Facility Relocation Impact

May 12, 2009 No None On-going

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000)

Cost Element	Total	Thru FY08	Rem. FY08	Total 6 Years	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	Beyond 6 Years
Planning, Design, and Supervision	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000)											

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Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Enrollment projections at Spark M. Matsunaga and Germantown elementary schools reflect a need to open another elementary school in the Northwest Currently Matsunaga has a program capacity of 676 students and enrollment is expected to reach 1,124 by September 2004, and 1,220 by Germantown has a program capacity of 369 students. Currently, Germantown Elementary School is a class-size reduction school and has five relocatable classrooms, with enrollment is expected to reach 439 students by September 2008.

An alternative to building a new school in the Northwest Cluster is to build additions at both Matsunaga and Germantown elementary schools. study to determine the cost of an addition at Germantown was completed in FY 2002. It was determined, based on the building location and site topography, that the cost of the addition at Germantown Elementary School was prohibitive. If an addition were built at Matsunaga to accommodate the growth, the elementary school would need to have a capacity for approximately 1,200 students by the end of the six-year period. The conclusion, based on the information above, was a new school in the Northwest Cluster was the preferable and responsible solution.

Due to fiscal constraints, modernizations and individual school projects were delayed in FY 2003. An FY 2004 appropriation was approved for planning funds. An FY 2005 appropriation was approved for construction funds. An amendment to the FY 2005-2010 CIP in the amount of \$4.85 million in expenditures was approved by the County Council to provide additional funding for this project due to rising construction costs. Of that amount, \$3.8 million was approved by the County Council as an FY 2005 Special Appropriation. The new school is scheduled to be completed by August 2006.

CAPACITY

Program Capacity After Project: 685 Teaching Stations Added: 30

OTHER DISCLOSURES

- MCPS asserts that this project conforms to the requirements of relevant local plans, as required by the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act.

APPROPRIATION AND		
EXPENDITURE DATA		
Date First Appropriation	FY03	(\$000)
First Cost Estimate Current Scope	FY00	0
Last FY's Cost Estimate		19,256
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Appropriation Request	FY10	0
Supplemental Appropriation Req	0	
Transfer		0
Cumulative Appropriation		0
Expenditures / Encumbrances		0
Unencumbered Balance	0	
Partial Closeout Thru	FY07	0
New Partial Closeout	FY08	19,256
Total Partial Closeout		19,256

COORDINATION

Mandatory Referral - M-NCPPC

Department of Environmental Protection

Building Permits:

Code Review

Fire Marshall Department of Transportation

Inspections

Sediment Control

Stormwater Management

WSSC Permits

MAP

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